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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of

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For: **METHOD FOR DEPOSITING TITANIUM OXIDE COATINGS ON FLAT  
GLASS AND THE RESULTING COATED GLASS**

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and/or listed herein and which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

U.S. Patent No. 5,514,454;  
JP Kokai Patent No. 63-100042;  
Hass et al., "Oxide Layers Deposited from Organic Solutions," Physics of Thin Films;  
Watanabe et al., "Photocatalytic Activity of TiO<sub>2</sub> Thin Film Under Room Light," Photocatalytic Purification and Treatment of Water and Air; and  
Kamata, et al., "Rapid formation of TiO<sub>2</sub> films by a conventional CVD method," Journal Materials Science Letters.

In addition, as indicated in the Information Disclosure Statement filed September 14, 2000, a U.S. patent application was filed September 7, 2000, as a continuation of parent application Serial No. 09/199,539. The continuation application was filed with the same claims

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as were allowed in the '539 Application. The Examiner is hereby advised that the serial number of the application filed September 7, 2000, is 09/657,275.

One copy of each of the listed documents, is submitted herewith.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed: (1) No later than three months from the application's filing date for an application other than a continued prosecution application (CPA) under §1.53(d); (2) Before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits (whichever is later); or (3) Before the mailing date of the first Office Action after filing a request for continued examination (RCE) under §1.114, and therefore, no Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is required.

The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application.

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